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PLANNING BOARD AGENDA

Community Room of the Visiting Nurse Association (VNA), 259 Lowell Street, Somerville MA
Thursday, May 2, 2019
6:00 P.M.

Previously Opened Cases Continued to a Future Date

176-182 Broadway (PB 2017-22)	
Applicant:	Yihe Patsy's Corporation
Property Owner:	Yihe Patsy's Corporation
Agent:	Richard DiGiralomo
Legal Notice:	Applicant and Owner, Yihe Patsy's Corporation, seeks a Special Permit with Site Plan
	Review (SPSR) to construct a 26-unit mixed-use building with commercial space
	along the street frontage and residences above. CCD-55 zone. Ward 1.
Date(s) of Hearing(s):	6/21, 8/23, 10/4, 11/8, 11/29, 12/13, 1/9, 1/24, 2/7, 2/21, 3/7, 3/21, 4/4, 4/18, 5/2
Staff Recommendation:	Conditional approval
PB Action:	Voted on April 18, 2019 to continue to May 16, 2019.
Current Status:	Continued to May 16, 2019.



Previously Opened Cases to Request a Continuance

346 Somerville Avenue (PB 2019-08):	
Applicant:	346 Somerville Avenue, LLC
Property Owner:	Palmac Realty Corp
Agent:	Richard DiGirolamo
Legal Notice:	Applicant, 346 Somerville Avenue, LLC, and Owner, Palmac Realty Corp, seek
	Special Permits and Special Permit with Site Plan Review (SPSR) to construct a 100-
	unit residential structure with inclusionary housing. SZO sections and articles
	including §4.4.1, §8.5, §7.11, Article 9, Article 13. CCD55 zone. Ward 2.
Date(s) of Hearing(s):	3/7, 4/4, 4/18, 5/2
Staff Recommendation:	None at this time.
PB Action:	Voted on March 7, 2019 to continue to May 2, 2019.
Current Status:	The Staff anticipates the Applicant will request a continuance to May 16, 2019.

Previously Opened Cases That Will Be Heard:

300 Somerville Avenue (PB 2018-21):	
Applicant:	Elan Sassoon
Property Owner:	300 Somerville Avenue, LLC
Agent:	Richard DiGirolamo
Legal Notice:	Applicant, Elan Sassoon, and Owner, 300 Somerville Avenue, LLC, seek Special
	Permits, Special Permit with Design Review and Special Permit with Site Plan Review
	to convert an existing church structure to 10 residential units with first floor
	commercial through the internal re-configuration of existing space and construction of
	additions/Gross Floor Area. Relief under SZO §4.4.1, 7.11, Article 9 and Article 13.
	CCD-55 zone. Ward 2.
Date(s) of Hearing(s):	3/21, 4/4, 4/18, 5/2
Staff Recommendation:	No recommendation at this time.
PB Action:	Voted on April 18, 2019.
Current Status:	Will be heard.

10-50 Prospect Street (PB 2019-03)	
Applicant:	Union Square RELP Master Developer LLC
Property Owner:	The City of Somerville and the Somerville Redevelopment Authority
Agent:	Not Available
Legal Notice:	Applicant, Union Square RELP Master Developer LLC and Owners, the City of
	Somerville and the Somerville Redevelopment Authority, seek Design & Site Plan
	Review under SZO §5.4 and SZO §6.8 to create an alley on Block D2 (as identified in
	the Union Square Revitalization Plan and the Union Square Neighborhood Plan) as
	proposed in the previously approved Coordinated Development Special Permit. TOD
	100 and CCD 55-C underlying zoning district. Union Square Overlay District and
	CC7, HR, and MR4 sub districts. Ward 2.
Date(s) of Hearing(s):	4/4, 4/18, 5/2
Staff Recommendation:	None at this time.
PB Action:	Voted on April 18, 2019 to continue to May 2, 2019.
Case Status:	Will be heard.



10 Prospect Street (PB 2019-04)	
Applicant:	Union Square RELP Master Developer LLC
Property Owner:	The City of Somerville and the Somerville Redevelopment Authority
Agent:	Not Available
Legal Notice:	Applicant, Union Square RELP Master Developer LLC and Owners, the City of
	Somerville and the Somerville Redevelopment Authority, seek Design & Site Plan
	Review under SZO §5.4 and SZO §6.8 to construct a commercial building on Block
	D2 (as identified in the Union Square Revitalization Plan and the Union Square
	Neighborhood Plan) as proposed in the previously approved Coordinated
	Development Special Permit. TOD 100 underlying zoning district. Union Square
	Overlay District and CC7 sub district. Ward 2.
Date(s) of Hearing(s):	4/4, 4/18, 5/2
Staff Recommendation:	None at this time.
PB Action:	Voted on April 18, 2019 to continue to May 2, 2019.
Case Status:	Will be heard.

102-104 Broadway: (PB 2019-12)	
Applicant:	Gauchao Brazilian Cuisine, LLC
Property Owner:	Luis A. & Blanca M. Morales
Agent:	Richard DiGirolamo
Legal Notice:	Applicant, Gauchao Brazilian Cuisine, LLC, and Owners, Luis A. & Blanca M.
	Morales, seeks a special permit under SZO §6.1.22 to expand the existing restaurant
	into the adjacent market and a special permit under SZO §9.13 for parking relief.
	CCD-55 Zone. Ward 1.
Date(s) of Hearing(s):	4/18, 5/2
Staff Recommendation:	Conditional approval
PB Action:	Voted on April 18, 2019 to continue to May 2, 2019.
Case Status:	Will be heard.

New Cases That Will Be Heard:

57 Broadway: (PB 2018-08):	
Applicant:	Centrie Realty, LLC
Property Owner:	Centrie Realty, LLC
Agent:	N/A
Legal Notice:	Applicant and Owner, Centrie Realty, LLC, seek Special Permits to alter a non-conforming property. The existing structure will be demolished and a new building with three residential units and ground floor retail will be constructed. Parking relief. Articles 4, 5, 7, 8, & 9 of the SZO. CCD45. Ward 1.
Date(s) of Hearing(s):	5/2
Staff Recommendation:	Conditional approval
PB Action:	
Case Status:	Will be heard.

Other Business

- Meeting Minute Approval
 - March 21, 2019 meeting minutes

Plans and reports are available at the City of Somerville website at the following link: https://www.somervillema.gov/departments/ospcd/planning-and-zoning/reports-and-decisions

